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The disturbing function due to certain tesseral harmonics (m,n) for $(1,5)$, $(2,5)$, $(3,5)$, $(4,5)$, $(5,5)$, $(1,6)$, $(2,6)$, $(3,6)$, $(4,6)$, $(5,6)$, $(6,6)$, $(1,7)$, $(2,7)$, $(3,7)$, $(4,7)$, $(5,7)$, $(6,7)$, $(13,13)$, $(13,15)$, and $(14,15)$ is given both as a function of Keplerian elements of a satellite and as a function of the rectangular coordinates.

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INTRODUCTION

The disturbing function for certain higher degree tesseral harmonics is given as a function of the Keplerian elements of the satellite and also in terms of the rectangular coordinates. The higher-degree tesseral harmonics (m,n) that may be of importance, based upon experimental evidence, are the following: (1,5), (2,5), (3,5), (4,5), (5,5), (1,6), (2,6), (3,6), (4,6), (5,6), (6,6), (1,7), (2,7), (3,7), (4,7), (5,7), (6,7), (13,13), (13,15), and (14,15).

THE FORCE FUNCTION

The force function U of the earth at a point whose spherical coordinates are (r, ϕ, λ) in an earth centered rotating coordinate system may be expressed as

$$U = \frac{\mu}{r} \left\{ 1 + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \sum_{m=0}^n \left(\frac{a_e}{r} \right)^n J_n^{(m)} P_n^{(m)} (\sin \phi) \cos m \left(\lambda - \lambda_n^{(m)} \right) \right\} \quad (1)$$

or

$$U = \frac{\mu}{r} \left\{ 1 + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \sum_{m=0}^n \left(\frac{a_e}{r} \right)^n P_n^{(m)} (\sin \phi) \left(C_n^{(m)} \cos m \lambda + S_n^{(m)} \sin m \lambda \right) \right\}, \quad (2)$$

where a_e is the earth's equatorial radius.

Here, only terms for which $m \neq 0$ are considered, and $P_n^{(m)} (\sin \phi)$ is the Legendre associated function defined by

$$P_n^{(m)} (x) = \frac{1}{2^n n!} (1 - x^2)^{\frac{m}{2}} \frac{d^{n+m} (x^2 - 1)^n}{dx^{n+m}}.$$

The relationships between the constants in the force function expressed in the different forms of Equation (1) and Equation (2) are

$$C_n^{(m)} = J_n^{(m)} \cos m \lambda_n^{(m)}$$

$$S_n^{(m)} = J_n^{(m)} \sin m \lambda_n^{(m)}.$$

For convenience, use is made of the normalized constants $S_n^{(m)}$, $\bar{C}_n^{(m)}$, and $J_n^{(m)}$ where

$$S_n^{(m)} = N_n^{(m)} S_n^{(m)}$$

$$\bar{C}_n^{(m)} = N_n^{(m)} C_n^{(m)}$$

$$\bar{J}_n^{(m)} = N_n^{(m)} J_n^{(m)}$$

and where

$$N_n^{(m)} = \left[\frac{2(2n+1)(n-m)!}{(n+m)!} \right]^{-\frac{1}{2}} \quad (m \neq 0)$$

The disturbing function for the tesseral and sectorial harmonics is then

$$R = \frac{\mu}{r} \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \sum_{m=1}^n \left(\frac{a_e}{r} \right)^n J_n^{(m)} P_n^{(m)} (\sin \phi) \cos m(\lambda - \lambda_n^{(m)})$$

or

$$R = \frac{\mu}{r} \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \sum_{m=1}^n \left(\frac{a_e}{r} \right)^n P_n^{(m)} (\sin \phi) \left(\bar{C}_n^{(m)} \cos m\lambda + S_n^{(m)} \sin m\lambda \right).$$

THE DISTURBING FUNCTION AS A FUNCTION OF THE ORBITAL ELEMENTS

If one makes use of the following relationships between the spherical co-ordinates and the Keplerian elements (a, e, i, ℓ, g, h) and true anomaly, f , of the satellite,

$$\sin \phi = \sin i \sin(f + g)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \cos^m \phi \cos m(\lambda - \lambda_n^{(m)}) = \frac{1}{2^m} & \left\{ (1 + \cos i)^m \cos m(f + g + h - \theta_n^{(m)}) \right. \\ & + \binom{m}{1} (1 + \cos i)^{m-1} (1 - \cos i) \cos \left[(m-2)(f + g) \right. \\ & \left. \left. + m(h - \theta_n^{(m)}) \right] \right\} \end{aligned}$$

+

$$+ \binom{m}{m-1} (1 + \cos i)(1 - \cos i)^{m-1} \cos \left[(m-2)(f+g) - m(h - \theta_n^{(m)}) \right] \\ + (1 - \cos i)^m \cos m(f+g-h + \theta_n^{(m)}) \Big\}$$

where $\theta_n^{(m)} = \lambda_n^{(m)}$ + Greenwich Sidereal Time, then the disturbing function for the harmonics being considered is

$$R = 5.0176690 \times 10^{-2} \frac{\mu \bar{J}_5^{(1)} a_e^5}{r^6} \left\{ 2(1+c)(1+28c-42c^2-84c^3+105c^4) \cdot \cos(f+g+h-\theta_5^{(1)}) \right. \\ + 2(1-c)(1-28c-42c^2+84c^3+105c^4) \cdot \cos(f+g-h+\theta_5^{(1)}) \\ - 7s^2(1+c)(1+6c-15c^2) \cos(3f+3g+h-\theta_5^{(1)}) \\ - 7s^2(1-c)(1-6c-15c^2) \cos(3f+3g-h+\theta_5^{(1)}) \\ + 21s^4(1+c) \cos(5f+5g+h-\theta_5^{(1)}) \\ + 21s^4(1-c) \cos(5f+5g-h+\theta_5^{(1)}) \Big\} \\ + .26551009 \frac{\mu \bar{J}_5^{(2)} a_e^5}{r^6} s \left\{ 2(1+c)(1-3c-9c^2+15c^3) \sin(f+g+2h-2\theta_5^{(2)}) \right. \\ + 2(1-c)(1+3c-9c^2-15c^3) \sin(f+g-2h+2\theta_5^{(2)}) \\ - (1+c)^2(1-12c+15c^2) \sin(3f+3g+2h-2\theta_5^{(2)}) \\ - (1-c)^2(1+12c+15c^2) \sin(3f+3g-2h+2\theta_5^{(2)}) \\ - 3s^2(1+c)^2 \sin(5f+5g+2h-2\theta_5^{(2)}) \\ - 3s^2(1-c)^2 \sin(5f+5g-2h+2\theta_5^{(2)}) \Big\}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& + 5.4197019 \times 10^{-2} \frac{\mu \bar{J}_5^{(3)} a_e^5}{r^6} \left\{ 6s^2(1+c)(1+6c-15c^2) \cos(f+g+3h-3\theta_5^{(3)}) \right. \\
& \quad + 6s^2(1-c)(1-6c-15c^2) \cos(f+g-3h+3\theta_5^{(3)}) \\
& \quad - (1+c)^3(13-54c+45c^2) \cos 3(f+g+h-\theta_5^{(3)}) \\
& \quad - (1-c)^3(13+54c+45c^2) \cos 3(f+g-h+\theta_5^{(3)}) \\
& \quad - 9s^2(1+c)^3 \cos(5f+5g+3h-3\theta_5^{(3)}) \\
& \quad \left. - 9s^2(1-c)^3 \cos(5f+5g-3h+3\theta_5^{(3)}) \right\} \\
& + .22993848 \frac{\mu \bar{J}_5^{(4)} a_e^5}{r^6} s \left\{ 2s^2(1+c)(1-5c) \sin(f+g+4h-4\theta_5^{(4)}) \right. \\
& \quad + 2s^2(1-c)(1+5c) \sin(f+g-4h+4\theta_5^{(4)}) \\
& \quad + (1+c)^3(3-5c) \sin(3f+3g+4h-4\theta_5^{(4)}) \\
& \quad + (1-c)^3(3+5c) \sin(3f+3g-4h+4\theta_5^{(4)}) \\
& \quad + (1+c)^4 \sin(5f+5g+4h-4\theta_5^{(4)}) \\
& \quad \left. + (1-c)^4 \sin(5f+5g-4h+4\theta_5^{(4)}) \right\}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& + 7.2712932 \times 10^{-2} \frac{\mu \bar{J}_5^{(5)} a_e^5}{r^6} \left\{ 10 s^4 (1 + c) \cos \left(f + g + 5h - 5\theta_5^{(5)} \right) \right. \\
& \quad + 10 s^4 (1 - c) \cos \left(f + g - 5h + 5\theta_5^{(5)} \right) \\
& \quad + 5 s^2 (1 + c)^3 \cos \left(3f + 3g + 5h - 5\theta_5^{(5)} \right) \\
& \quad + 5 s^2 (1 - c)^3 \cos \left(3f + 3g - 5h + 5\theta_5^{(5)} \right) \\
& \quad + (1 + c)^5 \cos 5 \left(f + g + h - \theta_5^{(5)} \right) \\
& \quad \left. + (1 - c)^5 \cos 5 \left(f + g - h + \theta_5^{(5)} \right) \right\} \\
& + 3.2270921 \times 10^{-2} \frac{\mu \bar{J}_6^{(1)} a_e^6}{r^7} s \left\{ -20c (5 - 30c^2 + 33c^4) \sin \left(h - \theta_6^{(1)} \right) \right. \\
& \quad + 5(1 + c)(1 + 18c - 36c^2 - 66c^3 + 99c^4) \cdot \\
& \quad \cdot \sin \left(2f + 2g + h - \theta_6^{(1)} \right) \\
& \quad + 5(1 - c)(1 - 18c - 36c^2 + 66c^3 + 99c^4) \cdot \\
& \quad \cdot \sin \left(2f + 2g - h + \theta_6^{(1)} \right) \\
& \quad - 6s^2 (1 + c)(2 + 11c - 33c^2) \sin \left(4f + 4g + h - \theta_6^{(1)} \right) \\
& \quad - 6s^2 (1 - c)(2 - 11c - 33c^2) \sin \left(4f + 4g - h + \theta_6^{(1)} \right) \\
& \quad + 33s^4 (1 + c) \sin \left(6f + 6g + h - \theta_6^{(1)} \right) \\
& \quad \left. + 33s^4 (1 - c) \sin \left(6f + 6g - h + \theta_6^{(1)} \right) \right\}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& + 2.5512403 \times 10^{-2} \frac{\mu \bar{J}_6^{(2)} a_e^6}{r^7} \left\{ 20 s^2 (1 - 18 c^2 + 33 c^4) \cos 2 \left(h - \theta_6^{(2)} \right) \right. \\
& \quad - (1 + c)^2 (17 - 108 c - 90 c^2 + 660 c^3 - 495 c^4) \cdot \\
& \quad \cdot \cos 2 \left(f + g + h - \theta_6^{(2)} \right) \\
& \quad - (1 - c)^2 (17 + 108 c - 90 c^2 - 660 c^3 - 495 c^4) \cdot \\
& \quad \cdot \cos 2 \left(f + g - h + \theta_6^{(2)} \right) \\
& \quad + 6 s^2 (1 + c)^2 (1 - 22 c + 33 c^2) \cos \left(4 f + 4 g + 2 h - 2 \theta_6^{(2)} \right) \\
& \quad + 6 s^2 (1 - c)^2 (1 + 22 c + 33 c^2) \cos \left(4 f + 4 g - 2 h + 2 \theta_6^{(2)} \right) \\
& \quad + 33 s^4 (1 + c)^2 \cos \left(6 f + 6 g + 2 h - 2 \theta_6^{(2)} \right) \\
& \quad \left. + 33 s^4 (1 - c)^2 \cos \left(6 f + 6 g - 2 h + 2 \theta_6^{(2)} \right) \right\} \\
& + 5.1024807 \times 10^{-2} \frac{\mu \bar{J}_6^{(3)} a_e^6}{r^7} s \left\{ - 20 s^2 c (3 - 11 c^2) \sin 3 \left(h - \theta_6^{(3)} \right) \right. \\
& \quad + 3 (1 + c)^2 (3 + 5 c - 55 c^2 + 55 c^3) \sin \left(2 f + 2 g + 3 h - 3 \theta_6^{(3)} \right) \\
& \quad + 3 (1 - c)^2 (3 - 5 c - 55 c^2 - 55 c^3) \sin \left(2 f + 2 g - 3 h + 3 \theta_6^{(3)} \right) \\
& \quad - 6 (1 + c)^3 (2 - 11 c + 11 c^2) \sin \left(4 f + 4 g + 3 h - 3 \theta_6^{(3)} \right) \\
& \quad - 6 (1 - c)^3 (2 + 11 c + 11 c^2) \sin \left(4 f + 4 g - 3 h + 3 \theta_6^{(3)} \right) \\
& \quad - 11 s^2 (1 + c)^3 \sin \left(6 f + 6 g + 3 h - 3 \theta_6^{(3)} \right) \\
& \quad \left. - 11 s^2 (1 - c)^3 \sin \left(6 f + 6 g - 3 h + 3 \theta_6^{(3)} \right) \right\}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& + 2.7947438 \times 10^{-2} \frac{\mu \bar{J}_6^{(4)} a_e^6}{r^7} \left\{ 20s^4 (1 - 11c^2) \cos 4 \left(h - \theta_6^{(4)} \right) \right. \\
& \quad - 5s^2 (1 + c)^2 (1 - 22c + 33c^2) \cos \left(2f + 2g + 4h - 4\theta_6^{(4)} \right) \\
& \quad - 5s^2 (1 - c)^2 (1 + 22c + 33c^2) \cos \left(2f + 2g - 4h + 4\theta_6^{(4)} \right) \\
& \quad - 2(1 + c)^4 (13 - 44c + 33c^2) \cos \left(4f + 4g + 4h - 4\theta_6^{(4)} \right) \\
& \quad - 2(1 - c)^4 (13 + 44c + 33c^2) \cos \left(4f + 4g - 4h + 4\theta_6^{(4)} \right) \\
& \quad - 11s^2 (1 + c)^4 \cos \left(6f + 6g + 4h - 4\theta_6^{(4)} \right) \\
& \quad \left. - 11s^2 (1 - c)^4 \cos \left(6f + 6g - 4h + 4\theta_6^{(4)} \right) \right\} \\
& + .13108510 \frac{\mu \bar{J}_6^{(5)} a_e^6}{r^7} s \left\{ - 20s^4 c \sin 5 \left(h - \theta_6^{(5)} \right) \right. \\
& \quad + 5s^2 (1 + c)^2 (1 - 3c) \sin \left(2f + 2g + 5h - 5\theta_6^{(5)} \right) \\
& \quad + 5s^2 (1 - c)^2 (1 + 3c) \sin \left(2f + 2g - 5h + 5\theta_6^{(5)} \right) \\
& \quad + 2(1 + c)^4 (2 - 3c) \sin \left(4f + 4g + 5h - 5\theta_6^{(5)} \right) \\
& \quad + 2(1 - c)^4 (2 + 3c) \sin \left(4f + 4g - 5h + 5\theta_6^{(5)} \right) \\
& \quad + (1 + c)^5 \sin \left(6f + 6g + 5h - 5\theta_6^{(5)} \right) \\
& \quad \left. + (1 - c)^5 \sin \left(6f + 6g - 5h + 5\theta_6^{(5)} \right) \right\}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& + 3.7841009 \times 10^{-2} \frac{\mu \bar{J}_6^{(6)} a_e^6}{r^7} \left\{ 20s^6 \cos 6 \left(h - \theta_6^{(6)} \right) \right. \\
& \quad + 15s^4(1+c)^2 \cos \left(2f + 2g + 6h - 6\theta_6^{(6)} \right) \\
& \quad + 15s^4(1-c)^2 \cos \left(2f + 2g - 6h + 6\theta_6^{(6)} \right) \\
& \quad + 6s^2(1+c)^4 \cos \left(4f + 4g + 6h - 6\theta_6^{(6)} \right) \\
& \quad + 6s^2(1-c)^4 \cos \left(4f + 4g - 6h + 6\theta_6^{(6)} \right) \\
& \quad + (1+c)^6 \cos 6 \left(f + g + h - \theta_6^{(6)} \right) \\
& \quad \left. + (1-c)^6 \cos 6 \left(f + g - h + \theta_6^{(6)} \right) \right\} \\
& + 2.5016970 \times 10^{-3} \frac{\mu \bar{J}_7^{(1)} a_e^7}{r^8} \left\{ 5(1+c)(5+270c-405c^2-1980c^3+2475c^4+2574c^5 \right. \\
& \quad \left. - 3003c^6) \cdot \cos \left(f + g + h - \theta_7^{(1)} \right) \right. \\
& \quad + 5(1-c)(5-270c-405c^2+1980c^3+2475c^4-2574c^5 \\
& \quad \left. - 3003c^6) \cdot \cos \left(f + g - h + \theta_7^{(1)} \right) \right. \\
& \quad - 9s^2(1+c)(9+132c-330c^2-572c^3+1001c^4) \cdot \\
& \quad \cdot \cos \left(3f + 3g + h - \theta_7^{(1)} \right) \\
& \quad - 9s^2(1-c)(9-132c-330c^2+572c^3+1001c^4) \cdot \\
& \quad \cdot \cos \left(3f + 3g - h + \theta_7^{(1)} \right) \\
& \quad + 33s^4(1+c)(5+26c-91c^2) \cos \left(5f + 5g + h - \theta_7^{(1)} \right) \\
& \quad \left. + 33s^4(1-c)(5-26c-91c^2) \cos \left(5f + 5g - h + \theta_7^{(1)} \right) \right\}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& -429s^6(1+c)\cos\left(7f+7g+h-\theta_7^{(1)}\right) \\
& -429s^6(1-c)\cos\left(7f+7g-h+\theta_7^{(1)}\right)\Big\} \\
& +6.1278811\times 10^{-3}\frac{\mu\bar{J}_7^{(2)}a_e^7}{r^8}s\left\{5(1+c)(15-45c-330c^2+550c^3+715c^4-1001c^5)\cdot\right. \\
& \quad \cdot\sin\left(f+g+2h-2\theta_7^{(2)}\right) \\
& \quad +5(1-c)(15+45c-330c^2-550c^3+715c^4+1001c^5)\cdot \\
& \quad \cdot\sin\left(f+g-2h+2\theta_7^{(2)}\right) \\
& \quad -3(1+c)^2(19-176c-66c^2+1144c^3-1001c^4)\cdot \\
& \quad \cdot\sin\left(3f+3g+2h-2\theta_7^{(2)}\right) \\
& \quad -3(1-c)^2(19+176c-66c^2-1144c^3-1001c^4)\cdot \\
& \quad \cdot\sin\left(3f+3g-2h+2\theta_7^{(2)}\right) \\
& \quad +11s^2(1+c)^2(1-52c+91c^2)\sin\left(5f+5g+2h-2\theta_7^{(2)}\right) \\
& \quad +11s^2(1-c)^2(1+52c+91c^2)\sin\left(5f+5g-2h+2\theta_7^{(2)}\right) \\
& \quad +143s^4(1+c)^2\sin\left(7f+7g+2h-2\theta_7^{(2)}\right) \\
& \quad \left.+143s^4(1-c)^2\sin\left(7f+7g-2h+2\theta_7^{(2)}\right)\right\} \\
& +4.3330662\times 10^{-3}\frac{\mu\bar{J}_7^{(3)}a_e^7}{r^8}\left\{5s^2(1+c)(9+132c-330c^2-572c^3+1001c^4)\cdot\right. \\
& \quad \cdot\cos\left(f+g+3h-3\theta_7^{(3)}\right)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& + 5s^2(1 - c)(9 - 132c - 330c^2 + 572c^3 + 1001c^4) \cdot \\
& \quad \cdot \cos \left(f + g - 3h + 3\theta_7^{(3)} \right) \\
& - 3(1 + c)^3(39 - 44c - 726c^2 + 1716c^3 - 1001c^4) \cdot \\
& \quad \cdot \cos 3 \left(f + g + h - \theta_7^{(3)} \right) \\
& - 3(1 - c)^3(39 + 44c - 726c^2 - 1716c^3 - 1001c^4) \cdot \\
& \quad \cdot \cos 3 \left(f + g - h + \theta_7^{(3)} \right) \\
& + 11s^2(1 + c)^3(11 - 78c + 91c^2) \cos \left(5f + 5g + 3h - 3\theta_7^{(3)} \right) \\
& + 11s^2(1 - c)^3(11 + 78c + 91c^2) \cos \left(5f + 5g - 3h + 3\theta_7^{(3)} \right) \\
& + 143s^4(1 + c)^3 \cos \left(7f + 7g + 3h - 3\theta_7^{(3)} \right) \\
& + 143s^4(1 - c)^3 \cos \left(7f + 7g - 3h + 3\theta_7^{(3)} \right) \Big\} \\
& + 2.8742310 \times 10^{-2} \frac{\mu \bar{J}_7^{(4)} a_e^7}{r^8} s \left\{ 5s^2(1 + c)(3 - 15c - 39c^2 + 91c^3) \sin \left(f + g + 4h - 4\theta_7^{(4)} \right) \right. \\
& \quad + 5s^2(1 - c)(3 + 15c - 39c^2 - 91c^3) \sin \left(f + g - 4h + 4\theta_7^{(4)} \right) \\
& \quad + 3(1 + c)^3(1 + 33c - 117c^2 + 91c^3) \sin \left(3f + 3g + 4h - 4\theta_7^{(4)} \right) \\
& \quad + 3(1 - c)^3(1 - 33c - 117c^2 - 91c^3) \sin \left(3f + 3g - 4h + 4\theta_7^{(4)} \right) \\
& \quad - (1 + c)^4(25 - 104c + 91c^2) \sin \left(5f + 5g + 4h - 4\theta_7^{(4)} \right) \\
& \quad \left. - (1 - c)^4(25 + 104c + 91c^2) \sin \left(5f + 5g - 4h + 4\theta_7^{(4)} \right) \right\}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& -13s^2(1+c)^4 \sin \left(7f + 7g + 4h - 4\theta_7^{(4)} \right) \\
& -13s^2(1-c)^4 \sin \left(7f + 7g - 4h + 4\theta_7^{(4)} \right) \Big\} \\
& + 1.4371155 \times 10^{-2} \frac{\mu \bar{J}_7^{(5)} a_e^7}{r^8} \left\{ 5s^4(1+c)(5+26c-91c^2) \cos \left(f+g+5h-5\theta_7^{(5)} \right) \right. \\
& + 5s^4(1-c)(5-26c-91c^2) \cos \left(f+g-5h+5\theta_7^{(5)} \right) \\
& - 3s^2(1+c)^3(11-78c+91c^2) \cos \left(3f+3g+5h-5\theta_7^{(5)} \right) \\
& - 3s^2(1-c)^3(11+78c+91c^2) \cos \left(3f+3g-5h+5\theta_7^{(5)} \right) \\
& - (1+c)^5(43-130c+91c^2) \cos 5 \left(f+g+h-\theta_7^{(5)} \right) \\
& - (1-c)^5(43+130c+91c^2) \cos 5 \left(f+g-h+\theta_7^{(5)} \right) \\
& - 13s^2(1+c)^5 \cos \left(7f + 7g + 5h - 5\theta_7^{(5)} \right) \\
& \left. - 13s^2(1-c)^5 \cos \left(7f + 7g - 5h + 5\theta_7^{(5)} \right) \right\} \\
& + 7.3278799 \times 10^{-2} \frac{\mu \bar{J}_7^{(6)} a_e^7}{r^8} s \left\{ 5s^4(1+c)(1-7c) \sin \left(f+g+6h-6\theta_7^{(6)} \right) \right. \\
& + 5s^4(1-c)(1+7c) \sin \left(f+g-6h+6\theta_7^{(6)} \right) \\
& + 3s^2(1+c)^3(3-7c) \sin \left(3f+3g+6h-6\theta_7^{(6)} \right) \\
& + 3s^2(1-c)^3(3+7c) \sin \left(3f+3g-6h+6\theta_7^{(6)} \right) \\
& + (1+c)^5(5-7c) \sin \left(5f+5g+6h-6\theta_7^{(6)} \right) \\
& \left. + (1-c)^5(5+7c) \sin \left(5f+5g-6h+6\theta_7^{(6)} \right) \right\}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& + (1 + c)^6 \sin \left(7f + 7g + 6h - 6\theta_7^{(6)} \right) \\
& + (1 - c)^6 \sin \left(7f + 7g - 6h + 6\theta_7^{(6)} \right) \Big\} \\
& + 3.5313941 \times 10^{-4} \frac{\mu \bar{J}_{13}^{(13)} a_e^{13}}{r^{14}} \Big\{ 1716s^{12} (1 + c) \cos \left(f + g + 13h - 13\theta_{13}^{(13)} \right) \\
& + 1716s^{12} (1 - c) \cos \left(f + g - 13h + 13\theta_{13}^{(13)} \right) \\
& + 1287s^{10} (1 + c)^3 \cos \left(3f + 3g + 13h - 13\theta_{13}^{(13)} \right) \\
& + 1287s^{10} (1 - c)^3 \cos \left(3f + 3g - 13h + 13\theta_{13}^{(13)} \right) \\
& + 715s^8 (1 + c)^5 \cos \left(5f + 5g + 13h - 13\theta_{13}^{(13)} \right) \\
& + 715s^8 (1 - c)^5 \cos \left(5f + 5g - 13h + 13\theta_{13}^{(13)} \right) \\
& + 286s^6 (1 + c)^7 \cos \left(7f + 7g + 13h - 13\theta_{13}^{(13)} \right) \\
& + 286s^6 (1 - c)^7 \cos \left(7f + 7g - 13h + 13\theta_{13}^{(13)} \right) \\
& + 78s^4 (1 + c)^9 \cos \left(9f + 9g + 13h - 13\theta_{13}^{(13)} \right) \\
& + 78s^4 (1 - c)^9 \cos \left(9f + 9g - 13h + 13\theta_{13}^{(13)} \right) \\
& + 13s^2 (1 + c)^{11} \cos \left(11f + 11g + 13h - 13\theta_{13}^{(13)} \right) \\
& + 13s^2 (1 - c)^{11} \cos \left(11f + 11g - 13h + 13\theta_{13}^{(13)} \right) \\
& + (1 + c)^{13} \cos 13 \left(f + g + h - \theta_{13}^{(13)} \right) \\
& + (1 - c)^{13} \cos 13 \left(f + g - h + \theta_{13}^{(13)} \right) \Big\}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& +6.5686033 \times 10^{-5} \frac{\mu \bar{J}_{15}^{(13)} a_e^{15}}{r^{16}} \left\{ 429 s^{12} (1+c) (13+58c-435c^2) \cos \left(f+g+13h-13\theta_{15}^{(13)} \right) \right. \\
& \quad + 429 s^{12} (1-c) (13-58c-435c^2) \cos \left(f+g-13h+13\theta_{15}^{(13)} \right) \\
& \quad - 1001 s^{10} (1+c)^3 (1-58c+145c^2) \cdot \\
& \quad \quad \cdot \cos \left(3f+3g+13h-13\theta_{15}^{(13)} \right) \\
& \quad - 1001 s^{10} (1-c)^3 (1+58c+145c^2) \cdot \\
& \quad \quad \cdot \cos \left(3f+3g-13h+13\theta_{15}^{(13)} \right) \\
& \quad - 1001 s^8 (1+c)^5 (7-58c+87c^2) \cdot \\
& \quad \quad \cdot \cos \left(5f+5g+13h-13\theta_{15}^{(13)} \right) \\
& \quad - 1001 s^8 (1-c)^5 (7+58c+87c^2) \cdot \\
& \quad \quad \cdot \cos \left(5f+5g-13h+13\theta_{15}^{(13)} \right) \\
& \quad - 91 s^6 (1+c)^7 (83-406c+435c^2) \cdot \\
& \quad \quad \cdot \cos \left(7f+7g+13h-13\theta_{15}^{(13)} \right) \\
& \quad - 91 s^6 (1-c)^7 (83+406c+435c^2) \cdot \\
& \quad \quad \cdot \cos \left(7f+7g-13h+13\theta_{15}^{(13)} \right) \\
& \quad - 91 s^4 (1+c)^9 (49-174c+145c^2) \cdot \\
& \quad \quad \cdot \cos \left(9f+9g+13h-13\theta_{15}^{(13)} \right)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& -91s^4(1-c)^9(49+174c+145c^2) \cdot \\
& \quad \cdot \cos \left(9f+9g-13h+13\theta_{15}^{(13)} \right) \\
& -7s^2(1+c)^{11}(227-638c+435c^2) \cdot \\
& \quad \cdot \cos \left(11f+11g+13h-13\theta_{15}^{(13)} \right) \\
& -7s^2(1-c)^{11}(227+638c+435c^2) \cdot \\
& \quad \cdot \cos \left(11f+11g-13h+13\theta_{15}^{(13)} \right) \\
& -(1+c)^{13}(323-754c+435c^2) \cos 13 \left(f+g+h-\theta_{15}^{(13)} \right) \\
& -(1-c)^{13}(323+754c+435c^2) \cos 13 \left(f+g-h+\theta_{15}^{(13)} \right) \\
& -29s^2(1+c)^{13} \cos \left(15f+15g+13h-13\theta_{15}^{(13)} \right) \\
& -29s^2(1-c)^{13} \cos \left(15f+15g-13h+13\theta_{15}^{(13)} \right) \Big\} \\
& +5.0024992 \times 10^{-4} \frac{\mu \ddot{J}_{15}^{(14)} a_e^{15}}{r^{16}} s \left\{ 429s^{12}(1+c)(1-15c) \sin \left(f+g+14h-14\theta_{15}^{(14)} \right) \right. \\
& \quad +429s^{12}(1-c)(1+15c) \sin \left(f+g-14h+14\theta_{15}^{(14)} \right) \\
& \quad +1001s^{10}(1+c)^3(1-5c) \sin \left(3f+3g+14h-14\theta_{15}^{(14)} \right) \\
& \quad +1001s^{10}(1-c)^3(1+5c) \sin \left(3f+3g-14h+14\theta_{15}^{(14)} \right) \\
& \quad \left. +1001s^8(1+c)^5(1-3c) \sin \left(5f+5g+14h-14\theta_{15}^{(14)} \right) \right\}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& +1001s^8(1-c)^5(1+3c)\sin\left(5f+5g-14h+14\theta_{15}^{(14)}\right) \\
& +91s^6(1+c)^7(7-15c)\sin\left(7f+7g+14h-14\theta_{15}^{(14)}\right) \\
& +91s^6(1-c)^7(7+15c)\sin\left(7f+7g-14h+14\theta_{15}^{(14)}\right) \\
& +91s^4(1+c)^9(3-5c)\sin\left(9f+9g+14h-14\theta_{15}^{(14)}\right) \\
& +91s^4(1-c)^9(3+5c)\sin\left(9f+9g-14h+14\theta_{15}^{(14)}\right) \\
& +7s^2(1+c)^{11}(11-15c)\sin\left(11f+11g+14h-14\theta_{15}^{(14)}\right) \\
& +7s^2(1-c)^{11}(11+15c)\sin\left(11f+11g-14h+14\theta_{15}^{(14)}\right) \\
& +(1+c)^{13}(13-15c)\sin\left(13f+13g+14h-14\theta_{15}^{(14)}\right) \\
& +(1-c)^{13}(13+15c)\sin\left(13f+13g-14h+14\theta_{15}^{(14)}\right) \\
& +(1+c)^{14}\sin\left(15f+15g+14h-14\theta_{15}^{(14)}\right) \\
& +(1-c)^{14}\sin\left(15f+15g-14h+14\theta_{15}^{(14)}\right)\}
\end{aligned}$$

where

$$s = \sin i$$

$$c = \cos i.$$

THE DISTURBING FUNCTION AS A FUNCTION OF THE RECTANGULAR COORDINATES

If one makes use of the following relationships between the sperical co-ordinates and the rectangular coordinates of a satellite

$$\sin \phi = \frac{z}{r}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \cos^m \phi \cos m\lambda = \frac{1}{r^m} \left[x^m - \binom{m}{2} x^{m-2} y^2 + \dots + (-1)^{\frac{m-2}{2}} \binom{m}{m-2} x^2 y^{m-2} \right. \\ \left. + (-1)^{\frac{m}{2}} y^m \right] \quad (m \text{ even}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \cos^m \phi \cos m\lambda = \frac{1}{r^m} \left[x^m - \binom{m}{2} x^{m-2} y^2 + \dots + (-1)^{\frac{m-3}{2}} \binom{m}{m-3} x^3 y^{m-3} \right. \\ \left. + (-1)^{\frac{m-1}{2}} xy^{m-1} \right] \quad (m \text{ odd}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \cos^m \phi \sin m\lambda = \frac{1}{r^m} \left[\binom{m}{1} x^{m-1} y - \binom{m}{3} x^{m-3} y^3 + \dots + (-1)^{\frac{m-4}{2}} \binom{m}{m-3} x^3 y^{m-3} \right. \\ \left. + (-1)^{\frac{m-2}{2}} \binom{m}{m-1} xy^{m-1} \right] \quad (m \text{ even}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \cos^m \phi \sin m\lambda = \frac{1}{r^m} \left[\binom{m}{1} x^{m-1} y - \binom{m}{3} x^{m-3} y^3 + \dots + (-1)^{\frac{m-3}{2}} \binom{m}{m-2} x^2 y^{m-2} \right. \\ \left. + (-1)^{\frac{m-1}{2}} y^m \right], \quad (m \text{ odd}) \end{aligned}$$

then the disturbing function as a function of the rectangular coordinates is

$$R = 1.6056541 \frac{\mu a_e^5}{r^{11}} (x^4 + y^4 + 8z^4 + 2x^2y^2 - 12x^2z^2 - 12y^2z^2) (\bar{C}_5^{(1)}x + \bar{S}_5^{(1)}y)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& + 8.4963227 \frac{\mu z a_e^5}{r^{11}} (2z^2 - x^2 - y^2) \left[\bar{C}_5^{(2)} (x^2 - y^2) + 2\bar{S}_5^{(2)} xy \right] \\
& + 1.7343046 \frac{\mu a_e^5}{r^{11}} (8z^2 - x^2 - y^2) \left[\bar{C}_5^{(3)} (x^3 - 3xy^2) + \bar{S}_5^{(3)} (3x^2y - y^3) \right] \\
& + 7.3580313 \frac{\mu z a_e^5}{r^{11}} \left[\bar{C}_5^{(4)} (x^4 - 6x^2y^2 + y^4) + 4\bar{S}_5^{(4)} (x^3y - xy^3) \right] \\
& + 2.3268138 \frac{\mu a_e^5}{r^{11}} \left[\bar{C}_5^{(5)} (x^5 - 10x^3y^2 + 5xy^4) + \bar{S}_5^{(5)} (5x^4y - 10x^2y^3 + y^5) \right] \\
& + 2.0653390 \frac{\mu z a_e^6}{r^{13}} (5x^4 + 5y^4 + 8z^4 + 10x^2y^2 - 20x^2z^2 - 20y^2z^2) \left(\bar{C}_6^{(1)} x + \bar{S}_6^{(1)} y \right) \\
& + 1.6327938 \frac{\mu a_e^6}{r^{13}} (x^4 + y^4 + 16z^4 + 2x^2y^2 - 16x^2z^2 - 16y^2z^2) \cdot
\end{aligned}$$

$$\cdot \left[\bar{C}_6^{(2)} (x^2 - y^2) + 2\bar{S}_6^{(2)} xy \right]$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& + 3.2655876 \frac{\mu z a_e^6}{r^{13}} (8z^2 - 3x^2 - 3y^2) \left[\bar{C}_6^{(3)} (x^3 - 3xy^2) + \bar{S}_6^{(3)} (3x^2y - y^3) \right] \\
& + 1.7886360 \frac{\mu a_e^6}{r^{13}} (10z^2 - x^2 - y^2) \left[\bar{C}_6^{(4)} (x^4 - 6x^2y^2 + y^4) + 4\bar{S}_6^{(4)} (x^3y - xy^3) \right] \\
& + 8.3894465 \frac{\mu z a_e^6}{r^{13}} \left[\bar{C}_6^{(5)} (x^5 - 10x^3y^2 + 5xy^4) + \bar{S}_6^{(5)} (5x^4y - 10x^2y^3 + y^5) \right] \\
& + 2.4218246 \frac{\mu a_e^6}{r^{13}} \left[\bar{C}_6^{(6)} (x^6 - 15x^4y^2 + 15x^2y^4 - y^6) + \bar{S}_6^{(6)} (6x^5y - 20x^3y^3 + 6xy^5) \right] \\
& + .32021721 \frac{\mu a_e^7}{r^{15}} (64z^6 - 5x^6 - 5y^6 - 15x^2y^4 - 15x^4y^2 - 240x^2z^4 + 120x^4z^2 - 240y^2z^4 \\
& \quad + 120y^4z^2 + 240x^2y^2z^2) \cdot \left(\bar{C}_7^{(1)} x + \bar{S}_7^{(1)} y \right)
\end{aligned}$$

$$+ .78436878 \frac{\mu z a_e^7}{r^{15}} (48 z^4 + 15 x^4 + 15 y^4 + 30 x^2 y^2 - 80 x^2 z^2 - 80 y^2 z^2) \cdot$$

$$\cdot \left[\bar{C}_7^{(2)} (x^2 - y^2) + 2 \bar{S}_7^{(2)} xy \right]$$

$$+ .55463248 \frac{\mu a_e^7}{r^{15}} (80 z^4 + 3 x^4 + 3 y^4 + 6 x^2 y^2 - 60 x^2 z^2 - 60 y^2 z^2) \cdot$$

$$\cdot \left[\bar{C}_7^{(3)} (x^3 - 3xy^2) + \bar{S}_7^{(3)} (3x^2y - y^3) \right]$$

$$+ 3.6790157 \frac{\mu z a_e^7}{r^{15}} (10 z^2 - 3x^2 - 3y^2) \left[\bar{C}_7^{(4)} (x^4 - 6x^2y^2 + y^4) + 4 \bar{S}_7^{(4)} (x^3y - xy^3) \right]$$

$$+ 1.8395078 \frac{\mu a_e^7}{r^{15}} (12 z^2 - x^2 - y^2) \left[\bar{C}_7^{(5)} (x^5 - 10x^3y^2 + 5xy^4) \right.$$

$$\left. + \bar{S}_7^{(5)} (5x^4y - 10x^2y^3 + y^5) \right]$$

$$+ 9.3796863 \frac{\mu z a_e^7}{r^{15}} \left[\bar{C}_7^{(6)} (x^6 - 15x^4y^2 + 15x^2y^4 - y^6) + \bar{S}_7^{(6)} (6x^5y - 20x^3y^3 + 6xy^5) \right]$$

$$+ 2.8929181 \frac{\mu a_e^{13}}{r^{27}} \left[\bar{C}_{13}^{(13)} (x^{13} - 78x^{11}y^2 + 715x^9y^4 - 1716x^7y^6 + 1287x^5y^8 \right.$$

$$- 286x^3y^{10} + 13xy^{12}) + \bar{S}_{13}^{(13)} (13x^{12}y - 286x^{10}y^3 + 1287x^8y^5 - 1716x^6y^7$$

$$\left. + 715x^4y^9 - 78x^2y^{11} + y^{13}) \right]$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& + 2.1523999 \frac{\mu a_e^{15}}{r^{31}} (28z^2 - x^2 - y^2) \left[\bar{C}_{15}^{(13)} (x^{13} - 78x^{11}y^2 + 715x^9y^4 - 1716x^7y^6 \right. \\
& \quad + 1287x^5y^8 - 286x^3y^{10} + 13xy^{12}) + \bar{S}_{15}^{(13)} (13x^{12}y - 286x^{10}y^3 + 1287x^8y^5 \\
& \quad \left. - 1716x^6y^7 + 715x^4y^9 - 78x^2y^{11} + y^{13}) \right] \\
& + 16.392189 \frac{\mu z a_e^{15}}{r^{31}} \left[\bar{C}_{15}^{(14)} (x^{14} - 91x^{12}y^2 + 1001x^{10}y^4 - 3003x^8y^6 \right. \\
& \quad + 3003x^6y^8 - 1001x^4y^{10} + 91x^2y^{12} - y^{14}) + \bar{S}_{15}^{(14)} (14x^{13}y - 364x^{11}y^3 + 2002x^9y^5 \\
& \quad \left. - 3432x^7y^7 + 2002x^5y^9 - 364x^3y^{11} + 14xy^{13}) \right].
\end{aligned}$$

UNNORMALIZED COEFFICIENTS

The disturbing functions given above have been written in terms of the normalized coefficients $\bar{J}_n^{(m)}$ and $\bar{C}_n^{(m)}$ and $\bar{S}_n^{(m)}$. It is also possible to obtain these disturbing functions in terms of the unnormalized coefficients. To do this for the disturbing function as a function of the rectangular coordinates, simply remove the bars over the $\bar{C}_n^{(m)}$ and $\bar{S}_n^{(m)}$ and replace the truncated decimal of the (m,n) term by the rational number indicated in Table I.

To find the unnormalized disturbing function written as a function of the orbital elements simply replace the $\bar{J}_n^{(m)}$ by $J_n^{(m)}$ and replace the truncated decimal of the (m,n) term by $1/2^n$ times the rational number indicated in Table I.

Table I

m, n		m, n	
1 5	$\frac{15}{8}$	6 6	10395
2 5	$\frac{105}{2}$	1 7	$\frac{7}{16}$
3 5	$\frac{105}{2}$	2 7	$\frac{63}{8}$
4 5	945	3 7	$\frac{315}{8}$
5 5	945	4 7	$\frac{3465}{2}$
1 6	$\frac{21}{8}$	5 7	$\frac{10395}{2}$
2 6	$\frac{105}{8}$	6 7	135135
3 6	$\frac{315}{2}$	13 13	$(n+m-1)!!$
4 6	$\frac{945}{2}$	13 15	$\frac{1}{2}(n+m-1)!!$
5 6	10395	14 15	$(n+m)!!$